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Active Working Groups

#42 Implementation Manual for Life — Heffron

Cycle Management of Port Struc.

–being published, expect anytime

#43 Minimizing Harbor Siltation - Headland

at HQ to publish; expect end of yr

#47 Criteria for the Selection of Breakwater Types – — Melby

analysis and report in process

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#48 Guidelines for Port Construction Related to Bow Thrusters – final draft for review expected 10/09 — Hermans

#49 Vertical + Horizontal Dimensions of Fairways — Briggs

#50 General Principles for the Design of Maritime Structures – proceeding — Pararis

#51 Water Injection Dredging – proceeding — Welp

#52 Criteria for the (Un)loading of Container Ships

Allen

Develop acceptable level of ship motion before operations are impacted (a challenge)

- Report draft in process
- Questionnaire to industry in process with disappointing level of response so far
- Expect report complete in 2009

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#53 Recommendations with Regard Headland to the Design and Construction of Maritime Structures in Tsunami Prone Areas – partly done but slow

#54 Use of Hydrometeo Information Weeks to Optimize Safe Port Access – proceeding

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#55 Safety Aspects of Berthing
Cunningham/Wise

Operations of Oil & Gas Tankers –
proceeding slowly so far

#56 Application of Geotextiles in Waterfront Protection — Gaffney

#57 Stability of Pattern Placed Revetment Elements – proceeding slowly — Boshek

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

PIANC Dictionary H.J. Verhagen

PROPOSED WORKING GROUPS

- Design Principles for Cont. Terminals
- Guidelines for Design of Specialized Terminals
- Guidelines for Cruise Terminals & Facilities
- Classification of Rocks & Soils to be Dredged

PROPOSED WORKING GROUPS

- Design Manual on Hydraulic Fills
- Berthing Velocities & Fender Design
- Coastal Structures Asset Management